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5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
6 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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8 MICHAEL R. PONTONI,

Case No. 2:18-cv-00461-JCM-PAL

9 Plaintiff,

ORDER

10 v.

11 JOSEPH M DESIMONE, JR., et al.,

12 Defendants.  
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14 Presently before the court is plaintiff Michael Pontoni's motion "to seal all the documents  
15 filed herein." (ECF No. 11). Defendants have not filed a response, and the time for doing so has  
16 since passed.

17 Local Rule 7-2(d) states that "[t]he failure of an opposing party to file points and  
18 authorities in response to any motion, except a motion under Fed. R. Civ. P. 56 or a motion for  
19 attorney's fees, constitutes a consent to the granting of the motion."

20 Here, as defendants have not opposed the motion to seal, they have consented to the  
21 granting of the motion. LR 7-2(d). Further, plaintiff's motion cites meritorious reasons for  
22 sealing documents filed in this case. The case centers around alleged misrepresentations made to  
23 an attorney during the preparation of offering documents for LLC membership interests. (ECF  
24 No. 11). Plaintiff represents that information contained within his complaint and evidence he  
25 will produce during the course of litigation is generally subject to the attorney-client privilege,  
26 but that plaintiff will offer it pursuant to recognized exceptions authorizing disclosure. (ECF No.  
27 11). In order to protect the parties from disclosure of privileged or proprietary information, the  
28 court will seal all documents filed in this case.

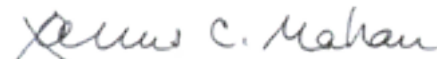
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Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that plaintiff's motion to seal (ECF No. 11) be, and the same hereby is, GRANTED.

All documents already filed in this case shall be sealed, and any future documents filed in this case shall be filed under seal.

DATED THIS 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2018.

  
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JAMES C. MAHAN  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE